

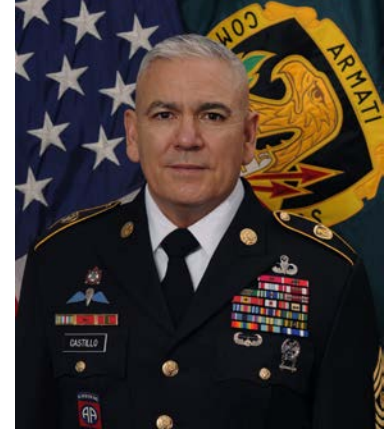


## **U.S. Army Contracting Command**

### **Command Sergeant Major Jose A. Castillo**

Command Sgt. Maj. Jose A. Castillo is the fourth Command Sergeant Major for the U.S. Army Contracting Command Redstone Arsenal, AL. He assumed the position April 19, 2016.

ACC, a subordinate command of Army Materiel Command, is comprised of a one-star command, six major contracting centers and eight contracting support brigades. ACC enables Army readiness through global, expeditionary contracting support to warfighters engaged in military operations, weapon systems acquisition, life cycle management, sustainment and acquisition of goods and services vital to the Soldier's mission and well-being. Its workforce includes more than 6,000 military and civilian personnel at more than 100 locations worldwide. ACC awarded and managed more than 166,000 contract actions valued at nearly \$57 billion in fiscal year 2016.



Prior to joining ACC, CSM Castillo served as the Command Sergeant Major, 19th Expeditionary Sustainment Command, Camp Walker, Korea. Command Sergeant Major, 10th Sustainment Brigade, 10th Mountain Division. Command Sergeant Major, 210th BSB, 2BCT, 10<sup>th</sup> Mountain Division. Command Sergeant Major, 307th BSB and 1BSTB, 1BCT, 82nd Airborne Division. Command Sergeant Major, Joint Psychological Operations Task Force, Special Operations Command Central, 4th Psychological Operations Group (A) U.S. Army Special Operations Command. 82nd Forward Support Battalion, 82nd Airborne Division/18th Airborne Corps Noncommissioned Officers Academy. 302nd Forward Support Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division, Camp Casey, Korea. 782nd Main Support Battalion, 82nd Airborne Division. 702nd Main Support Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division, Camp Stanley, Korea. 782nd Maintenance Support Battalion, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, NC.

He has served in every enlisted leadership position ranging from Team Leader to Command Sergeant Major in the 82nd Airborne Division. He has completed numerous combat tours in support of Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom. He has led units in combat as a Task Force CSM, Brigade Support Battalion CSM, and Brigade CSM.

His military and civilian education includes: U. S. Army Airborne School; Jump Master Course; Air Assault Course; Primary, Basic and Advanced Noncommissioned Officer's Course; Battle Staff; United States Army Sergeants Major Academy, Command Sergeants Major Course. Army Executive Leaders Course, How the Army Runs Course for Sergeants Major, CSM legal Orientation Course. He also has a bachelor's degree from Excelsior College, Albany, NY.

CSM Castillo's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit with one Oak Leaf Cluster; Bronze Star with two Oak Leaf Clusters; Defense Meritorious Service Medal; Meritorious Service Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters; Army Commendation Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters; Army Achievement Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster; Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal; NATO Medal; Master Parachutist Badge; Air Assault Badge and Australian, British and German Parachutist Badges, also a member of the Ordnance Order of Samuel Sharpe and the Honorable Order of Saint Martin for the Quartermaster Regiment, he is also a recipient of The General Brehon B. Somervell Medal for having distinguished himself as a true multifunctional logistician.

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